## SCHOOL-HOME LINKS

Child's name
Dear Family, Your child is learning to use suffixes to help learn new words.
A <b>suffix</b> is a word part that comes at the end of a word. Suffixes can help us figure out the meanings of words we don't know. For example, the suffix <b>-er</b> is added to words to compare them.  A sock is small. An ant is smaller.  A hill is high. A mountain is higher.
The suffix <b>-er</b> can also mean a person who does something. A person who does work is a work <b>er</b> . A person who teaches is a teach <b>er</b> . A person who owns something is an own <b>er</b> .
• Finish these sentences by adding <b>-er</b> to the end of the underlined words.
Cake is sweet. Sugar is
<ul> <li>Write some of your own sentences using words that end in -er. Use the back of this paper. Read your sentences out loud to your family.</li> </ul>
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